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1. [ ] Joan Spaulding, in the office of Representative Ogden R. Reid (R., N.Y.), called to ask if Mr. Reid could be briefed tomorrow on the problem of our Radios. After checking with Cord Meyer, I called back to say that Mr. Meyer and I would meet with Mr. Reid at 3:00 p.m.

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2. [ ] Called Pat Holt, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, and in view of Mr. Holt's tight schedule agreed that we would postpone our briefing on Costa Rica until tomorrow at 11:00 a.m.

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3. [ ] Mr. J. Sourwine, Chief Counsel, Senate Subcommittee on Internal Security, called to request a copy of "The National Liberation Movement in Latin America" by Ernest Halperin. He believes it was copyrighted by Cambridge Press in 1969, but publication may have been withheld for security reasons. [ ] advises that [ ] actually assisted Mr. Halperin in the book. He will try to get a galley proof for Mr. J. Sourwine.

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4. [ ] Mrs. Ludden, Representative Robert McClory's (R., Ill.) office, called to verify the prior Agency employment of [ ] who was applying for a secretarial job on the Representative's staff. I informed her that our records would be reviewed and she will be advised shortly.

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5. [ ] Mrs. Susan Hamilton, Office of Representative Peter Frelinghuysen (R., N.J.), called advising receipt of a letter from a constituent which severely criticized CIA. The letter posed many questions as to funding, congressional oversight, etc. Mrs. Hamilton did not feel that the letter warranted referral to us for reply and sought guidance as to how to handle it. It sufficed if we would furnish her with a copy of our standard publication on the Agency which she would send to the constituent. She did not feel it necessary that we prepare a suggested reply.

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11. [ ] Met with Senator Stuart Symington (D., Mo.) and outlined the current funding campaign for the Educational Aid Fund. The Senator, as always, was cordial. He told me that before he could endorse the funding activity, however, he would want a specific request from Mr. Helms, DCI, together with an outline of the endorsement desired so that he could check what has been done with regard to other agencies, as well as checking the matter with counsel. I thanked the Senator for his consideration and agreed with him that time was against us for this evening's dinner. The matter was left open as to whether we will follow-up with him at a later date.

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12. [ ] Met with Mr. Walter Mote, Administrative Assistant to the Vice President, and outlined the current funding campaign for the Educational Aid Fund. Mr. Mote was most receptive and told me that he was quite certain that the Vice President would be willing to send an appropriate wire to the dinner this evening if he was available. Unfortunately, the Vice President was enroute to California. If we desire, Mr. Mote will talk to him about the fund as soon as he returns.

In discussion, Mr. Mote made the recommendation that bipartisan support from Members of Congress might be of real value to such a fund and offered to assist in gaining endorsements in the Senate if it would be of help. I thanked him for the advice and told him I would be back in touch with him later in the week.

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13. [ ] Met with Courtney Pace, Administrative Assistant in the office of Senator James Eastland (D., Miss.), and J. Sourwine, Chief Counsel, Senate Subcommittee on Internal Security, concerning the compromise of congressional correspondence on the Radios (see Memorandum for the Record for details and follow-up action).

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